

## ITEM REPORT PARKS AND TRAILS COMMISSION

Agenda Date:

8/22/2022

Agenda Section:

**New Business** 

**TO:** Baxter Parks and Trails Commission

FROM: Josh Doty, Community Development Director

**SUBJECT:** Mississippi River Overlook Masterplan

## **Background and Request**

The City of Baxter is requesting that the Parks and Trails Commission review and recommend the Mississippi River Overlook Masterplan to the City Council. The City of Baxter has been actively working on the study throughout 2022 and have a draft master plan for the commission's consideration. The study public process has included review by a Project Advisory Committee, who has had four meetings throughout the study process. There was a neighborhood meeting, two open houses, and a pop-up meeting at a local farmers market. There is also a wiki map available for online comments throughout the study. As, the commission will recall, two commissioners were also appointed to the project advisory committee. Attached is a draft of a final report for the commission's consideration and a power point that staff will use for a presentation to the commission.

## Recommendation

Staff recommends that the Parks and Trails Commission review and recommend the Mississippi River Overlook Masterplan to the City Council

## **Attachment**

- 1. Mississippi River Overlook Masterplan
- 2. Mississippi River Overlook Masterplan Presentation